HA — THIS WILL GIVE YOU SOME IDEA OF HOW JIM EASON HAS CHANGED (THIS APPEARED IN S.F. CHRONICLE — I FORGOT THE DATE)

Flag-waver of the year honors to **Jim Eason** of **KGO**, who suggested that newspapers print an illustration of the U.S. flag during the Gulf War. The S.F. Weekly challenged Eason to read the U.S. Constitution on the air — "an equally inappropriate display of patriotism." Eason said he would — if the Weekly would run the flag on Page One. The paper published a tiny flag in its February 20 issue. Eason, calling the flag "puny," confined his reading to 10 amendments to the Constitution, beginning, appropriately enough, with the guarantee of free speech.